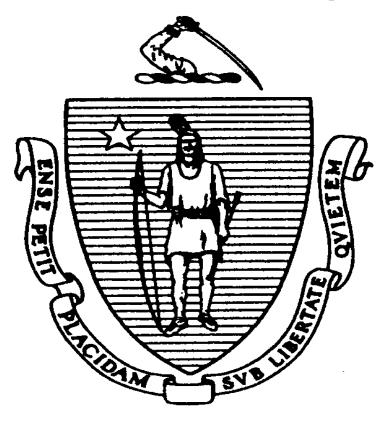
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Executive Summary

The total number of offenders sentenced to Massachusetts county facilities (houses of correction) during 2000 was 15,334. The breakdown by gender was 14,780 males (96% of total population) and 554 females (4% of total population). The largest racial/ethnic group represented was Caucasian (59%), followed by African American (20%) and Hispanic (20%). The average age of inmates incarcerated during 2000 was 32 years for males and 34 years for females, ranging from 17 to 77 years of age. The average sentence length was six months. The average educational level was 11th grade.

Highlights

- ? In 2000, there were 15,334 commitments to county facilities. This represents a decrease of ten percent from the 17,068 commitments in 1999, the third consecutive decrease over the last ten years.
- ? The total number of female commitments continued to decrease from 1997 to 2000 by 428 (44%).
- ? Despite the recent decrease among females in County facilities, there has been a 48% increase over the ten-year period 1991 to 2000.
- ? Suffolk County had the largest decrease in commitments (32%) from 2,888 in 1999 to 1,951 in 2000.
- ? Twenty-three percent of county commitments were committed for offenses against the person, twenty-one percent for property offenses, nineteen percent for drug offenses, thirteen percent for 'other' offenses, twelve percent for motor vehicle offenses, ten percent for operating under the influence of alcohol (OUI) and two percent for sex offenses.
- ? The most common offenses for which offenders were committed were assault/assault and battery (fifteen percent), motor vehicle violations (eleven percent), and O.U.I. (ten percent).
- ? Two percent were committed in lieu of a fine. There was a significant reduction (14%) in fines issued compared to the previous year (1999). Over the past five years the number of fines has decreased 76%.

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Introduction

This report provides a statistical description of offenders committed to Massachusetts county facilities (houses of correction) during 2000. Offenders are described in terms of commitment institution, month of commitment, committing court, offense, sentence length, sentence type (weekend and jail sentences), sex, age, race, marital status, education, place of birth, and residence. Trends in court commitments to the county correctional system over the past decade are also presented.

All new court commitments and those individuals who began serving a new sentence during the year are included in this report. If an individual was committed more than once during 2000, each court commitment for that individual is counted separately. Information for offenders committed to the Massachusetts Department of Correction (state facilities) is not included in this report.

The statistical tables were derived from information submitted by each county facility to the Research and Planning Division of the Massachusetts Department of Correction (DOC), and were produced on the DOC's VAX Computer System. A glossary of terms is provided in the back of this report to reference definitions of some terms used.

Due to computer conversions, the commitment records for Suffolk County were limited for the period January through April 2000. In an effort to maintain data constancy, the Suffolk County commitments from May to December 2000 were pro rated to the entire 12-month calendar year. In addition to total number of commitments, the characteristics of the committed inmates were also pro rated for the same period.

There are fourteen counties in Massachusetts. All counties except for Nantucket county have at least one county correctional facility administered by the county sheriff. These facilities usually contain a jail for pre-trial detainees, and a house of correction for sentenced inmates. Suffolk county has a separate facility for its jail (Nashua Street) and its house of correction (South Bay). Middlesex county has two facilities, a combined jail and house of correction in Billerica and a jail in Cambridge.

Four counties have specialized facilities for sentenced offenders: Essex county has the Correctional Alternative Center (CAC) in Lawrence; Hampden county has the Western Massachusetts Correctional Alcohol Center (WMCAC) facility in Springfield; Bristol county has the David R. Nelson Correctional Addiction Center (DRNCAC) in New Bedford; and Norfolk county has the Braintree Alternative Center (BAC) in Braintree. Individuals are not committed directly to these four facilities, but can be transferred to them from a house of correction or state correctional facility.

This report has been organized into three sections. The first section describes the demographic characteristics of 2000 commitments. The second section depicts information about criminal offenses for the inmate population. The third section addresses data regarding sentencing, such as court from which committed, type of sentence, and sentence length. Please note that due to rounding, percentages may not add to 100%.

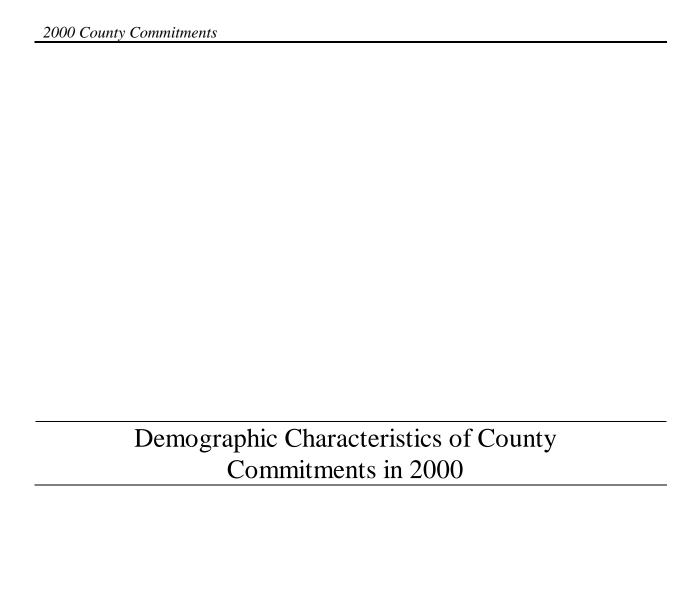


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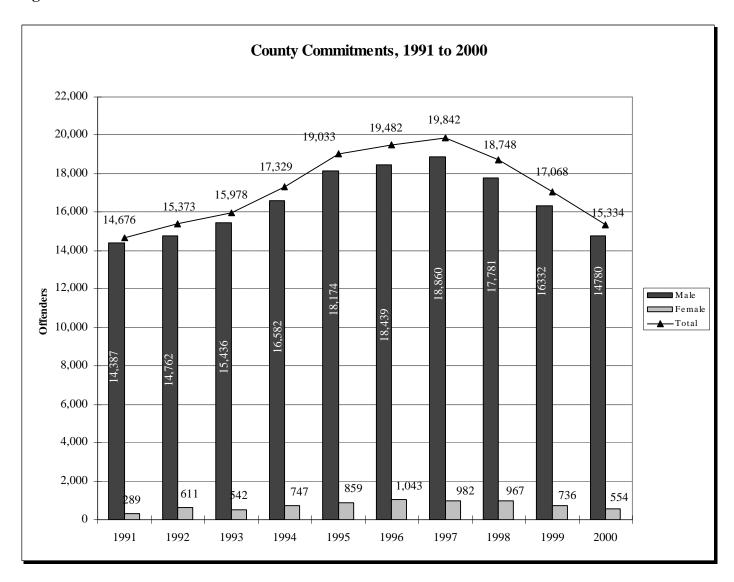


Table 1

Gender: 1996 to 2000

											% Chng
	1996	5	1997	,	1998	3	1999		2000		99 vs 00
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	%
Male	18,439	95	18,860	95	17,781	95	16,332	96	14,780	97	-10
Female	1,043	5	982	5	967	5	736	4	554	3	-25
Total	19,482	100	19,842	100	18,748	100	17,068	100	15,334	100	-10

Figure 2

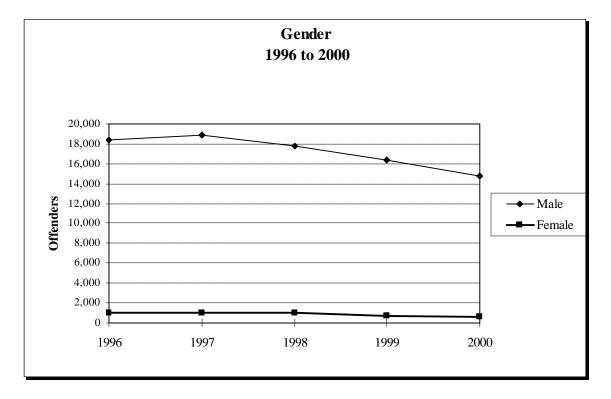


Table 2

Race/Ethnicity: 1996 to 2000

	1996	í	1997	,	1998	3	1999		2000		% Chng 99 vs 00
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	%
Caucasian	11,303	60	11,801	59	10,989	59	9,921	58	8,972	59	-10
African American	4,365	21	4,088	21	3,965	21	3,588	21	3,147	21	-12
Hispanic	3,597	18	3,557	18	3,463	18	3,170	19	3,000	20	-5
Other	217	1	396	2	331	2	389	2	215	1	-45
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	19,482	100	19,842	100	18,748	100	17,068	100	15,334	100	-10

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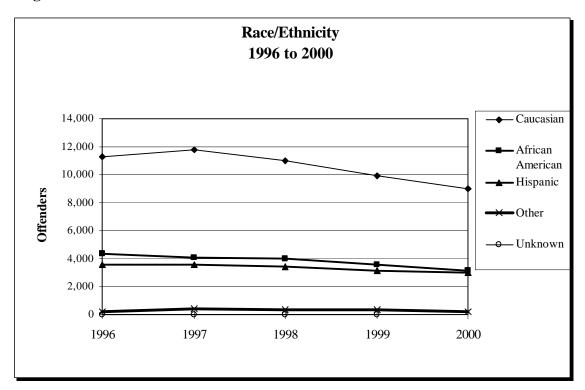


Table 3

Race/Ethnicity by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
Caucasian	320	59	8,652	59	8,972	59
African American	141	25	3,006	20	3,147	21
Hispanic	89	16	2,911	20	3,000	20
Native American	1	0	19	0	20	0
Asian	1	0	88	1	89	1
Other	2	0	104	1	106	1
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

Table 4

Age at Commitment: 1996 to 2000

	1996		1997	,	1998	8	1999)	2000)	% Chng 99 vs 00
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	%
19 or Younger	1,755	9	1,876	9	1,862	9	1,540	9	1,182	8	-23
20 to 24	3,815	20	3,867	19	3,682	20	3,411	20	3,288	21	-4
25 to 29	3,806	20	3,593	18	3,249	18	2,907	17	2,425	16	-17
30 to 39	6,822	35	6,996	35	6,442	38	5,814	34	5,126	33	-12
40 to 64	3,248	17	3,460	17	3,474	20	3,370	20	3,271	21	-3
65 and Older	36	0	50	0	39	0	26	0	42	0	62
Total	19,482	100	19,842	100	18,748	110	17,068	100	15,334	100	-10

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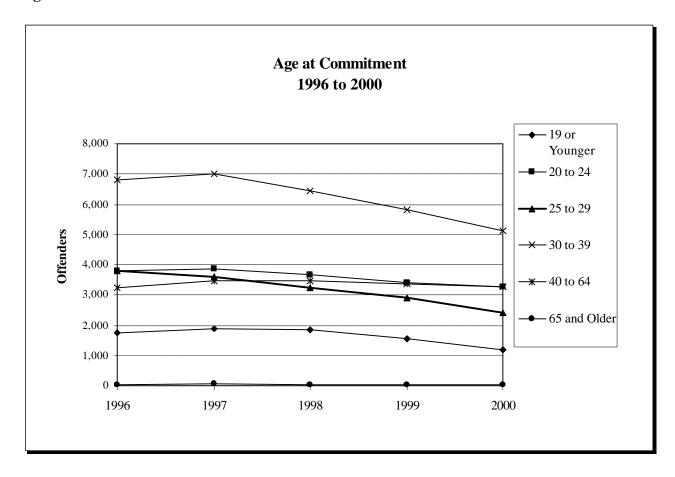


Table 5

Age at Commitment by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
15 yrs	0	0	0	0	0	0
16 yrs	0	0	0	0	0	0
17 yrs	0	0	109	1	109	1
18 yrs	2	0	450	3	452	3
19 yrs	11	2	610	4	621	4
20 yrs	12	2	758	5	770	5
21 yrs	19	3	703	5	722	5
22 yrs	17	3	632	4	649	4
23 yrs	18	3	573	4	591	4
24 yrs	19	3	537	4	556	4
25-29 yrs	77	14	2,348	16	2,425	16
30-34 yrs	125	23	2,461	17	2,586	17
35-39 yrs	111	20	2,429	16	2,540	17
40-44 yrs	93	16	1,718	12	1,811	12
45-49 yrs	35	6	840	6	875	6
50-54 yrs	12	2	376	3	388	3
55-59 yrs	0	0	143	1	143	1
60-64 yrs	1	0	53	0	54	0
65-69 yrs	2	0	27	0	29	0
70 yrs or Older	0	0	13	0	13	0
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

Age at commitment:

The median age was 32 years (for both females and males)

The average age was 32 years for males

The average age was 34 years for females

Age at commitment - Ranges:

Females - 18 years to 69 years

Males - 17 years to 77 years

Table 6

Last Grade Completed (Self Reported) by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
3rd or Less	3	1	69	1	72	1
4th	1	0	42	0	43	0
5th	1	0	40	0	41	0
6th	3	1	91	1	94	1
7th	10	2	178	1	188	1
8th	24	4	496	3	520	3
9th	37	7	1,125	8	1,162	8
10th	61	11	1,779	12	1,840	12
11th	48	9	2,033	14	2,081	14
High School Grad	145	26	5,382	37	5,527	36
Some College	66	12	1,278	9	1,344	9
College Grad	9	2	257	2	266	2
Grad. School	1	0	68	1	69	0
Unknown	145	26	1,942	11	2,087	14
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

Table 7

Citizenship Status (Self Reported) by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
US Citizen - Mass Born	401	72	10,186	68	10,587	69
US Citizen - Other State	105	19	2,475	17	2,580	17
US Citizen - US Territory	42	8	1,345	9	1,387	9
US Citizen - Foreign Born	6	1	681	5	687	4
Unknown	0	0	93	1	93	1
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

Table 8

Marital Status (Self Reported) by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
Married	39	7	1,339	9	1,378	9
Single	310	56	8,037	54	8,347	54
Divorced	39	7	969	7	1,008	7
Widowed	7	1	31	0	38	0
Common Law	0	0	7	0	7	0
Separated	14	3	298	2	312	2
Unknown	145	26	4,099	28	4,244	28
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

Table 9

Prior Address: County of Residence
(Self Reported) by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
Barnstable	12	2	185	1	197	1
Berkshire	56	10	471	3	527	3
Bristol	42	8	1,802	12	1,844	12
Dukes	2	0	26	0	28	0
Essex	6	1	1,324	9	1,330	9
Franklin	8	2	136	1	144	1
Hampden	42	8	604	4	646	4
Hampshire	5	1	195	1	200	1
Middlesex	10	2	1,862	13	1,872	12
Nantucket	0	0	22	0	22	0
Norfolk	6	1	822	6	828	5
Plymouth	6	1	1,075	7	1,081	7
Suffolk	96	17	1,838	12	1,934	13
Worcester	9	2	2,081	14	2,090	14
MA-County Unknown	246	44	1,836	12	2,082	14
Out of State	8	2	500	3	508	3
Foreign Country	0	0	1	0	1	2
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

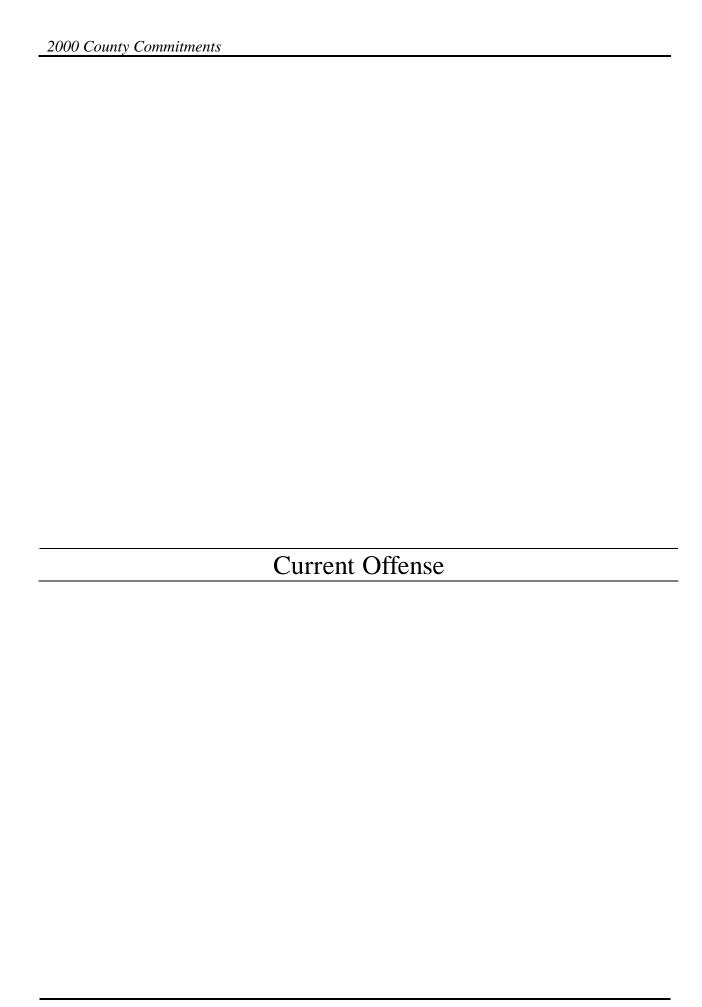


Table 10

Current Offense Categories: 1996 to 2000

	1996	í	1997	1	1998	8	1999	ı	2000)	% Chng 99 vs 00
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	%
Person	4,134	21	4,482	23	4,484	24	3,989	23	3,560	23	-11
Property	4,344	22	4,033	20	3,865	21	3,508	21	3,204	21	-9
Sex	338	2	344	2	362	2	356	2	310	2	-13
Drug	3,537	18	3,512	18	3,483	19	3,223	19	2,855	19	-11
Other	7,129	37	7,471	38	6,554	35	5,992	35	5,405	35	-10
Total	19,482	100	19,842	100	18,748	110	17,068	100	15,334	100	-10

Figure 5

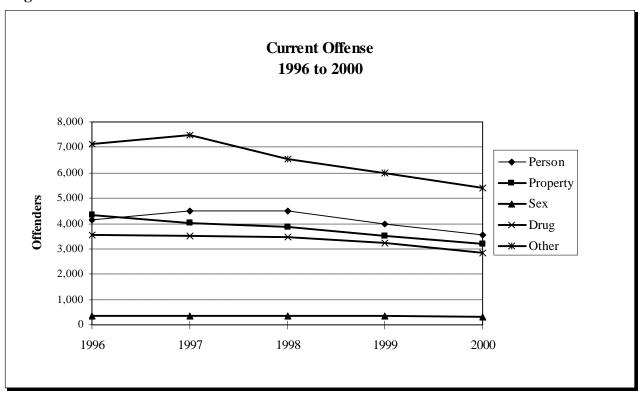


Table 11

Current Offense Categories by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
Person	92	17	3,468	24	3,560	23
Sex	2	0	308	2	310	2
Property	124	23	3,080	21	3,204	21
Drug	176	32	2,679	18	2,855	19
Other	160	29	5,245	36	5,405	35
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

Table 12
Person Offenses by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
Not a Person Offense	462	83	11,314	77	11,776	77
Unarmed Assault	49	9	2,294	16	2,343	15
Armed Assault	37	7	981	6	1,018	7
Extortion	1	0	99	1	100	1
Unarmed Robbery	0	0	15	0	15	0
Vehicular Homicide	1	0	14	0	15	0
Stalking	0	0	17	0	17	0
Armed Robbery	1	0	16	0	17	0
Assault With Intent to Murder	2	0	13	0	15	0
Kidnapping	0	0	4	0	4	0
Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0
Civil Rights Violation	0	0	1	0	1	0
Conspiracy	1	0	7	0	8	0
Mayhem	0	0	2	0	2	0
A&B on a Child	0	0	3	0	3	0
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

Person Offenses

Crimes Against the Person (primarily Massachusetts General Law Chapter 265 offenses).

Table 13

Sex Offenses by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
Not a Sex Offense	552	99	14,473	98	15,025	98
Assault W/Int to Rape	1	0	106	1	107	1
Assault W/Int to Rape, Child	0	0	73	0	73	0
Rape of Child	0	0	40	0	40	0
Open and Gross Lewdness	0	0	3	0	3	0
Gross Sexual Misconduct	1	0	77	1	78	1
Rape	0	0	4	0	4	0
Unnatural Act	0	0	2	0	2	0
Indecent Aslt. Mentally Handicapped	0	0	1	0	1	0
Fail to Register as Sex Offender	0	0	1	0	1	0
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

Sex Offenses

Sex Offenses Against the Person. Consist of Massachusetts General Law Chapter 265 (crimes against the person) and Chapter 272 offenses (crimes against chastity, morality, decency and good order).

Table 14
Property Offenses by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
Not a Property Offense	429	76	11,704	79	12,133	79
Burglary	19	3	881	6	900	6
Larceny	43	8	794	5	837	5
Vehicular Theft	10	2	300	2	310	2
Destruction of Property	1	0	275	2	276	2
Possession of Stolen Goods	7	1	275	2	282	2
Stealing	25	5	238	2	263	2
Larceny From Person	4	1	136	1	140	1
Forgery & Uttering	13	2	110	1	123	1
Possession of Burglary Tools	0	0	25	0	25	0
Fraud	3	1	27	0	30	0
Arson	0	0	15	0	15	0
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

Property Offenses

Crimes Against Property (primarily Massachusetts General Law Chapter 266 offenses).

Table 15

Drug Offenses by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
Not a Drug Offense	379	68	12,103	82	12,482	81
Controlled Substance - Class B	87	16	917	6	1,004	7
Controlled Substance - Class A	54	10	896	6	950	6
Controlled Substance - Class D	17	3	558	4	575	4
Possession of a Syringe	6	1	101	1	107	1
Possession of a Controlled Substance	2	0	48	0	50	0
Poss. of a Cont. Sub. In School Zone	1	0	68	0	69	0
Controlled Substance - Class C	0	0	23	0	23	0
Conspiracy	1	0	27	0	28	0
Controlled Substance - Class E	4	1	12	0	16	0
Being Present Where Narcotics are Kept	2	0	9	0	11	0
Manufacture Counterfeit Drugs	0	0	11	0	11	0
OUI-Narcotics	0	0	1	0	1	0
Possession W/Int to Sell	0	0	3	0	3	0
Utter False Prescription	1	0	3	0	4	0
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

Drug Offenses

Massachusetts General Law Chapter 94C Offenses.

Table 16
Other Offenses by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
Not an Other Offense	395	71	9,535	65	9,930	65
Motor Vehicle Offenses	17	3	1,853	13	1,870	12
Operating Under the Influence	44	8	1,499	10	1,543	10
Other Offenses	15	3	566	4	581	4
Decency/Public Peace Crimes	33	6	310	2	343	2
Other Weapons Offenses	2	0	244	2	246	2
Contempt of Court	2	0	132	1	134	1
Violation of Court Order	0	0	160	1	160	1
Nonsupport	0	0	111	1	111	1
Resisting Arrest	4	1	129	1	133	1
Trespassing	3	1	97	1	100	1
Attempts to Commit a Crime	1	0	69	0	70	0
Prostitution	38	7	29	0	67	0
Escape	0	0	22	0	22	0
Minor in Possession of Alcohol	0	0	9	0	9	0
Cruelty to Animals	0	0	5	0	5	0
False Alarm	0	0	1	0	1	0
Intimidate Witness	0	0	8	0	8	0
Environmental Offenses	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gaming	0	0	1	0	1	0
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

Other Offenses

Miscellaneous offenses that are not clearly categorized into one of the other offense categories of Person, Property, Sex or Drug.

2000 County Comm	itments		
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Table 17
Sentence Length: 1996 to 2000

	1996	-	1997	,	1998	8	1999		2000		% Chng 99 vs 00
	N	%	N	%		%	N	%	N	%	%
Fine	1,464	8	900	5	552	3	404	2	356	2	-12
Less than 1 Month	1,908	10	1,809	9	1,700	9	1,591	9	1,459	10	-8
1 month	1,871	10	2,005	10	1,798	10	1,612	9	1,504	10	-7
2 to 5 months	3,942	20	4,309	22	4,254	23	3,945	23	3,519	23	-11
6 to 11 months	4,228	22	4,728	24	4,650	25	4,242	25	3,959	26	-7
12 to 17 months	3,200	16	3,262	16	3,107	20	2,877	17	2,499	16	-13
18 to 23 months	1,054	5	1,093	7	1,048	5	996	6	825	5	-17
24 months or more	1,815	9	1,736	11	1,639	11	1,401	8	1,213	8	-13
Total	19,482	100	19,842	100	18,748	106	17,068	100	15,334	100	-10

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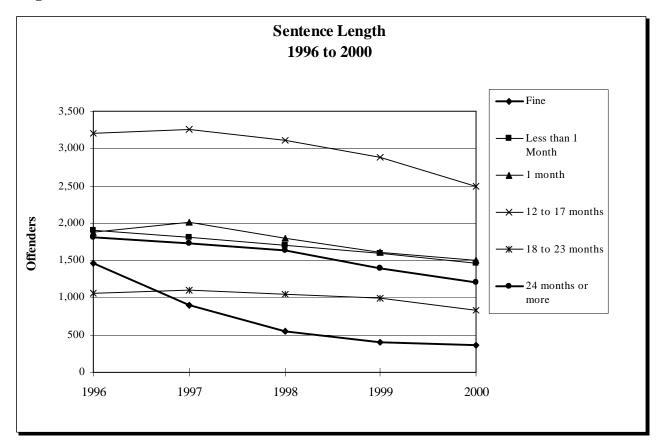


Table 18

Sentence Length by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
Fine	4	1	347	2	351	2
< 1 Month	40	7	1,419	10	1,459	10
1 Month	57	10	1,447	10	1,504	10
2 Months	29	5	1,125	8	1,154	8
3 Months	75	14	1,470	10	1,545	10
4 Months	51	9	489	3	540	4
5 Months	24	4	257	2	281	2
6 Months	118	21	2,923	20	3,041	20
7 Months	4	1	60	0	64	0
8 Months	1	0	79	1	80	1
9 to 11 Months	16	3	758	5	774	5
12 Months	87	16	2,212	15	2,299	15
13 to 17 Months	5	1	196	1	201	1
18 Months	14	3	733	5	747	5
19 to 23 Months	1	0	80	1	81	1
24 Months	17	3	746	5	763	5
25+ Months	11	2	439	3	450	3
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

Table 19

Court From Which Committed by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
Barnstable D.C.	37	7	423	3	460	3
Berkshire D.C.	77	14	485	3	562	4
Bristol D.C.	43	8	1,924	13	1,967	13
Dukes D.C.	0	0	4	0	4	0
Essex D.C.	1	0	1,402	10	1,403	9
Franklin D.C.	22	4	235	2	257	2
Hampden D.C.	162	29	1,533	10	1,695	11
Hampshire D.C.	17	3	257	2	274	2
Middlesex D.C.	2	0	1,837	12	1,839	12
Nantucket D.C.	0	0	25	0	25	0
Norfolk D.C.	3	1	1,003	7	1,006	7
Plymouth D.C.	2	0	1,116	8	1,118	7
Suffolk D.C.	113	20	1,494	10	1,607	10
Worcester D.C.	3	1	2,148	15	2,151	14
Superior Courts	72	13	894	6	966	6
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

Table 20

Type of Sentence by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
Simple	548	99	14,310	97	14,858	97
Fine	4	1	351	2	355	2
Weekend/Week Day	2	0	119	1	121	1
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

Table 21

Committing Institution: 1996 to 2000

											% Chng
	1996	•	1997	'	1998	3	1999		2000		99 vs 00
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	%
Barnstable	700	4	669	3	635	3	546	3	538	4	-1
Berkshire	710	4	616	3	576	3	569	3	560	4	-2
Bristol	2,525	13	2,655	13	1,979	13	1,988	12	2,047	14	3
Dukes	40	0	36	0	48	0	38	0	38	0	0
Essex	1,967	10	1,901	10	1,731	10	1,536	9	1,398	9	-9
Franklin	257	1	255	1	283	1	245	1	240	2	-2
Hampden	2,293	12	2,286	12	2,484	12	2,111	12	1,999	13	-5
Hampshire	400	2	413	2	399	2	310	2	309	2	0
Middlesex	2,634	13	2,578	13	2,349	13	2,125	13	1,959	13	-8
Norfolk	1,180	6	1,213	6	1,268	6	1,110	7	1,057	7	-5
Plymouth	1,146	6	1,376	7	1,315	7	1,148	7	1,025	7	-11
Suffolk	3,227	17	3,084	16	3,348	16	2,888	17	1,951	11	-32
Worcester	2,403	12	2,760	14	2,333	14	2,454	14	2,213	15	-10
Total	19,482	100	19,842	100	18,748	100	17,068	100	15,334	100	-10

Figure 7

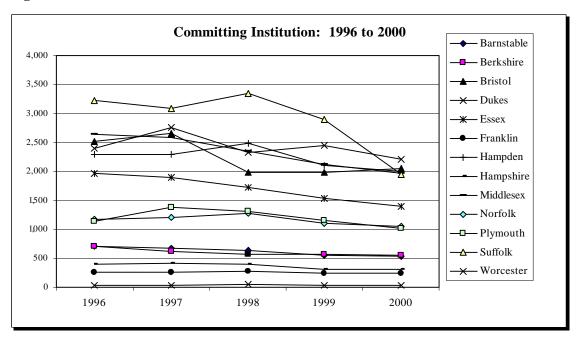


Table 22

Committing Institution by Gender

	Female	(%)	Male	(%)	Total	(%)
Barnstable	45	8	493	3	538	4
Berkshire	51	10	509	4	560	4
Bristol	43	8	2,004	14	2,047	13
Dukes	1	0	37	0	38	0
Essex	0	0	1,398	9	1,398	9
Franklin	9	2	231	2	240	2
Hampden	256	46	1,743	12	1,999	13
Hampshire	2	0	307	2	309	2
Middlesex	2	0	1,957	13	1,959	13
Nantucket	0	0	0	0	0	0
Norfolk	1	0	1,056	7	1,057	7
Plymouth	0	0	1,025	7	1,025	7
Suffolk	141	25	1,810	12	1,951	13
Worcester	3	_ 1	2,210	15	2,213	14
Total	554	100	14,780	100	15,334	100

Table 23
County Correction Population: January 1, 2000 to December 31, 2000

	Average Daily	Beginning	Ending	Design	%ADP
	Population	Population	Population	Capacity	Capacity
Barnstable	245	251	214	110	223%
Berkshire	202	194	225	116	174%
Bristol	1,062	1,010	1,002	666	159%
Dukes	32	27	30	19	168%
Essex	1,299	1,270	1,223	635	205%
Franklin	149	134	143	63	237%
Hampden	1,706	1,698	1,628	1,303	131%
Hampshire	237	235	221	248	96%
Middlesex	1,176	1,144	1,153	1,035	114%
Norfolk	537	549	462	379	142%
Plymouth	1,371	1,337	1,375	1,140	120%
Suffolk	2,226	2,141	2,095	1,599	139%
Worcester	1,190	1,165	1,112	790	151%
Total	11,432	11,155	10,883	8,103	141%

Glossary

ADP Average Daily Population

Design Capacity Population capacity each institution was designed to

hold.

Facilities

BAC Braintree Alternative Center

DRNCAC David R. Nelson Correctional Addiction Center LCAC Lawrence Correctional Alternative Center

WMCAC Western Massachusetts Correctional Alcohol Center

Offenses

Armed Assault Includes armed assault with intent to rob, armed

assault in a dwelling, assault and battery with a deadly weapon, and assault with a deadly weapon.

Assault on Female Under

Sixteen with Intent to Rape Includes assault and battery on a child under 14

years old.

Assault with Intent to

Commit Rape Includes assault and battery on a person over 14,

indecent assault on a mentally retarded person.

Assault with Intent to Murder Includes attempted murder and accessory to murder.

Controlled Substances

Class A Heroin, Morphine.

Class B Amphetamines, Barbiturates, Cocaine.

Class C LSD, Hashish Class D Marijuana.

Class E Other prescription drugs.

Motor Vehicle Offenses Includes leaving the scene of an accident.

Other Includes violation of abuse prevention law, deriving

support from a prostitute, bribery, attempt to commit a crime, and contempt of court.

O.U.I. Operating under the influence of alcohol.

Prostitution Includes common nightwalker.

Rape Includes aggravated rape.

Rape of a Child Includes rape of a female under sixteen years old.

Receiving Stolen Goods (RSG)

Includes common receiver of stolen goods.

Unarmed Assault
Includes unarmed assault with intent to rob, assault,

assault and battery, and other assaults.

Unnatural and Lascivious Acts

Includes unnatural acts with a child under sixteen

years old.

Weapon Offenses Includes weapons violations, Bartley-Fox gun law.

Sentence Type

Fine Offender was given a fine, but because he or she was

unwilling or unable to pay the fine, is serving time in

prison.

Simple One sentence received for a single offense.

Weekend/Week Day A one to two day sentence that is to be served

during a weekend or during a specified day of the

week.